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This reply is submitted in response to the Notification of Defective Response issued on October 11, 2007 in connection with the above-identified application. A copy of the Notification is attached hereto as **Exhibit 1**. A response is due by November 11, 2007. Accordingly, this reply is being timely filed.